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DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

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Our residences, post office addresses and citizenship are as stated below next to our names; that

We verily believe we am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or a joint inventor (if plural inventors are named below) of the invention entitled:

NUTRITIONAL COMPOSITION FOR WEIGHT MANAGEMENT (Docket No. IAM 0602 PA), described and claimed

_____ in the attached specification;
X in the specification filed July 5, 2000, as U.S. Application Serial No. 09/609,622.

We hereby authorize the attorney(s) and/or agent(s) appointed herein to indicate above whether the invention is described and claimed in an attached specification and to provide the Filing Date and Serial No. of the corresponding U.S. Application, if previously filed.

We hereby state that we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims as filed and as amended by any amendment referred to above.

We acknowledge the duty to disclose to the Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a).

We hereby claim the benefit under 35 USC § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

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